

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the Application of:

REBECCA E. CAHOON ET AL.

CASE NO.: BB1159

APPLICATION NO.: 09/744,099

GROUP ART UNIT: 1652

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EXAMINER: C. L. FRONDA

FOR: CHORISMATE BIOSYNTHESIS ENZYMES

**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111**

Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is an amendment in response to the Office Action mailed August 26, 2002.  
A Petition for Extension of Time for three (3) months up to and including February 26,  
2003 is filed simultaneously herewith. Please enter the following: